

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Schweitzer et al.

Application No.: 09/935,131

Filed: 08/21/2001

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents

Alexandria, VA 22313

P.O. Box 1450

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SYSTEM, METHOD AND COMPUTER PROGRAM)

PRODUCT FOR POLICY-BASED BILLING IN A

NETWORK ARCHITECTURE

Attorney Docket No.: XACTP015B

Examiner: Thompson, Marc D.

Group Art Unit: 2142

Date: January 26, 2004



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Sir:

Technology Center 2100

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Applicant(s) hereby petition for a Two Month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action. Applicant(s) believe that no additional Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 50-1351 (Order No. XACTP015B).

Ø Enclosed is our Check No. 1332 in the amount of \$210.00 to cover the additional claim fee and/or extension of

time fees.

If the required fees are missing or any additional fees are required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, please charge such fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1351 (Order No. XACTP015B). A copy of this sheet is enclosed for billing purposes.

> Respectfully submitted, Silicon Malley IP Group, PC

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